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For: METHODS AND MEANS FOR
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AFFINITY FOR A TARGET

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Group Art Unit: 1627

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action herein mailed 4 June 2001, time for response to which was set to expire 4 July 2001. A petition for an extension of time of one (1) month until 4 August 2001 is attached hereto along with the required fee.

Restriction was required among three groups.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the invention of group I, claims 1, 3 and 5-10. This election is made without traverse.

In the unlikely event that the transmittal letter is separated from this document and the Patent Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorize the Assistant Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket No. 313632000600. However, the Assistant Commissioner is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee to the Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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